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SUBJ: FISHING BOAT DETAINED IN FRENCH GUIANA

REF : PARAMARIBO 0382

1. FISHING BOAT DETAINED IN FRENCH GUIANA APRIL 30 TURNS OUT TO HAVE BEEN THE "ODAEYANG," A PANAMANIAN FLAG VESSEL OWNED AND MANNED BY SOUTH KOREANS OPERATING OUT OF SURINAM. BOAT IS STILL IN CAYENNE, BUT MANAGER OF PARAMARIBO-BASED SURINAM-AMERICAN INDUSTRIES, LTD. (SAIL), WHICH BUYS CATCH FROM THESE BOATS, TOLD EMBOFF HE EXPECTS MATTER TO BE ADJUDICATED MAY 10.

2. ACCORDING TO SAIL MANAGER, BOAT WAS FISHING ABOUT ELEVEN MILES OFF OF DEVIL'S ISLAND ALONG WITH ABOUT TEN OTHER BOATS
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WHEN IT WAS ORDERED INTO CAYENNE. SOUTH KOREAN COMPANY WHICH OPERATES BOAT SENT A REPRESENTATIVE FROM PARAMARIBO TO CAYENNE TO BUY BACK THE CONFISCATED SHRIMP CATCH AT A COST OF ABOUT $10,000. COMPANY ALSO WILL LIKELY HAVE TO PAY A FINE, WHICH SAIL MANAGER ESTIMATES WILL BE ABOUT $12,000, AND HAS LOST ABOUT $1,000 PER DAY IN LOST FISHING TIME AS WELL AS "A COUPLE OF THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH" OF NETS. THUS TOTAL COST TO COMPANY

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INCLUDING FINES MAY STILL WORK OUT TO BE LESS THAN SAIL MANAGER'S ORIGINAL $40,000 ESTIMATE OF THE RETAIL VALUE OF THE BOAT'S SHRIMP CATCH. SAIL ALSO SENT A REPRESENTATIVE TO FRENCH GUIANA TO LOOK INTO MATTER AND MANAGER INTERVENED PERSONALLY TO URGE FRENCH AUTHORITIES TO EXPEDITE DISPOSITION OF THE CASE.

3. ON MAY 9, LOCAL DAILY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED NOTICE SAID TO HAVE APPEARED IN "LA PRESSE DE GUYANE" CITING "ODAEYANG" INCIDENT AND WARNING VIOLATORS WHO FISHED WITHIN TWELVE-MILE ZONE THEY COULD BE SUBJECT TO A FINE OF FROM FOUR THOUSAND TO FORTY THOUSAND FRANCS. FOR OTHER UNDEFINED VIOLATIONS FINE WAS SAID TO VARY FROM FOUR HUNDRED TO TWO THOUSAND FRANCS. VIOLATORS FURTHER RUN THE RISK THAT THEIR NETS AND FISHING EQUIPMENT CAN BE SEIZED IN ADDITION TO THEIR CATCH, ACCORDING TO THE ARTICLE.
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